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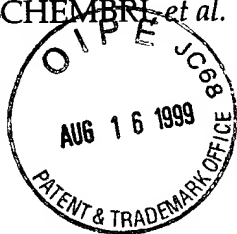
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For: NOVEL MULTIFUNCTIONAL ADHESIN PROTEINS  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Responsive to the attached copy of the Notice to Comply With Requirements For  
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Disclosures ("Notice to Comply"), which was issued on June 17, 1999, pursuant to 37  
C.F.R. § 1.825(d), please amend the specification as follows:

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Replace pages 32-43 of the specification with the twelve (12) pages of the  
substitute "Sequence Listing" attached hereto.